tions present in regard to the matter be heard.

In amendment, Ald. Moore moved that the whole matter be referred back to the Exhibition Committee. Ald. C. Taylor seconded. Lost.

Motion carried.

His Worship reported that, in accordance with resolution of Council, himself and Ald. Bowman visited Toronto, and that while there the Bill incorporating the Western Fair Association, one in regard to the Central School Grounds, and one amending the charter of the London & South-eastern Railway Act, were passed in the Bills Committee of the House.

The agreement arrived at by the Joint Committee of the Council, East Middlesex and City of London Horticultural Society for the organization of a Western Fair, and the minutes of the last meeting of the Special Fair Committee, and the resolutions passed at a public meeting last Tuesday evening were read.

Ald. Bowman moved that the minutes and report be adopted.

In amendment Ald. Moore moved, seconded by Ald. Stringer, that the Council go into Committee of the Whole. Carried.

The Council then went into Committee of the Whole, Ald. Vining in the chair.

Ald. Davis moved, seconded by Ald. Stringer, that the deputation representing the petition signed by Mr. Magee and others be heard first.

In amendment Ald. C. Taylor moved, seconded by Ald. Moore, that those representing the petition signed by Mr. Ma and others be heard first. Lost.

Motion carried.

Messrs. C. A. Kingston, T. D Hodg Robt Pritchard, A. W. Porte, B. Cron and John Marshall addressed the Coun on behalf of the deputations.

Ald. Bowman moved that the report the Committee appointed on the Weste Fair be received, the prayer of the petiti granted, a by-law prepared and a sum exceeding $60,000 appropriated for t erection of new buildings, etc.

Ald. Stringer seconded the motion.

It was moved by Ald. C. Taylor, se onded by Ald. Greer, in amendment to t motion of Ald. Bowman, that a by-law prepared and submitted to the ratepay qualified to vote on the expenditure money for Fair purposes.

Motion carried.

The Committee then rose, and t Council resumed.

The motion of Ald Bowman for ado tion of the report of the Exhibition Co mittee was then carried on the followi division —

Yeas—Ald. Jarvis, Davis, McDonal Bowman, Hook, Stringer, Dreaney, M Intosh, Heaman—9.

Nays—Ald. C. Taylor, Greer, Moul Moore, Vining, G. Taylor—6.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

By Ald. Moore—That the Council r consider the matter of granting money f the erection and maintenance of Exhib tion grounds and buildings.

On motion the Council adjourned.

Council Proceedings.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, March 29, 1887

The Board of Alderman met March 29th, with the following members in attendance: Mayor Cowan (in the chair), Ald. C. Taylor, Davis. McDonald, Bowman, Stringer, Moore, Vining, G. Taylor, Dreaney, McIntosh, Heaman, Moule, Jarvis, Hook.

COMMUNICATIONS READ.

From J. H. McMechan — Re-taxes. No. 1.

From J. Francis—For remission of dog tax. No. 1.

From the call men of the Fire Department. No. 3.

THE CITY HOSPITAL.

From Dr. O'Rielly—Stating that on a petition now before the Legislature praying that the City Hospital be managed by a commission, and that the county, contributing a certain amount therefor, should have a voice in its management; that in his opinion the county should have a voice in the management, and that the Hospital is not now efficiently and properly managed by a committee of Aldermen, and that the management of it should be delegated to a joint committee of the Government, city and county.

Ald. Davis moved, seconded by Ald. G Taylor, that this Council memoralize the Ontario Legislature, that it is desirable to change the management of the City Hospital, and that the management be vested in five trustees, two to be elected by the citizens, one by the County Council, and the Government to appoint the remaining two, the said two to beratepayers of the City of London, and that the said trustees to be so elected and appointed shall hold office for a term of years, the election and appointment to be so arranged that no more than two trustees shall retire at any one time.

Ald. C. Taylor was called to the chair, and his Worship addressed the Council.

In amendment moved, seconded by Ald. Moule, that the matter bereferred to No. 3 Committee to report, and that the Clerk be instructed to write to Mr. Meredith *re* the petition.

Yeas — Mayor Cowan, Ald. Jarvis, Moule, Dreaney, McIntosh, Heaman—6.

Nays—Ald. Davis, McDonald, Bowman, Stringer, Moore, Vining, G. Taylor —7.

Ald. C. Taylor voted for the amendment, but the amendment not having a majority, was negatived. Lost.

His Worship then resumed the chair.

Motion Lost.

THE LONDON AND SOUTH EASTERN.

A By-law to repeal the former By-law granting the London and South-Eastern Railway leave to cross Bathurst street, and to give the Company permission to run one hundred and fifty feet west from the westerly limit on Wellington street, and cross Bathurst street, was read a first time.

The By-law was read a 2nd and 3rd time and passed.

BY LAWS READ.

By-laws to grant to W. M. Spencer & Co. exemption from taxes for five years on an oil refinery to be erected by them on all assessment exceeding $1,600, and also to grant them permission to lay a pipe across Simcoe street underground, were read a first time and referred to No. 1 Committee.

NO. 3 COMMITTEE REPORT.

By Ald. Stringer, Chairman:—

That the following tenders for street watering be accepted:—

1—Brooks Bros., section 1	$249
2—Hartley & Son, section 2....... ..	475
3— " " " 3..........	490
4—H. Childs, section 4	95

Ald. Stringer also stated that he had been asked by the Committee to report recommending that a deputation be appointed to visit Toronto in the interest of the city, and support the Bill for a change in the management of the City Hospital.

Ald. Stringer moved that the tenders be adopted as reported by the Committee. Lost.